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ENGLISH NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—An envoy from Tunis is en route for Florence, to settle the disputed questions.

The republican majority in Bordeaux is large.

The republicans carry Pan Perpetrain and Oran. The conservatives carry Poitiers and Montauban.

Liberal union candidates are generally elected throughout France wherever put in nomination.

The British Commissioners are Earl De Grey, Prof. Montague Bertie, Sir Edward Thornton, John A. Macdonald, of Canada, and Sir John Rose. The Secretary will be Lord Tenterden.

The proceedings of Parliament have not yet assumed a coherent shape.

Disraeli spoke against Gladstone in favor of the Queen's speech.

Both parties approve the measures proposed for the settlement of the difficulties with the United States.

The Pacific solution of the Eastern question only needs the signature of the representative of France to complete the treaty.

The Gambetta ticket was carried in Havre and Brest by a heavy majority.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Standard says that the commission would be more interesting to the people if the basis upon which the commission is to act was known.

Henry Melville, the Queen's Chaplain, is dead.

Thirty-seven German telegraph offices in France have been ordered to transmit the French messages regarding the elections and the provision of Paris.

The Prussians captured a letter from the King of Sweden expressing the warmest sympathy for France.

GERMAN NEWS.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—A dispatch from Berlin says that the war contribution of 300,000,000 francs exacted from Paris have been apportioned thus: 150,000,000 to North Germany and 50,000,000 to South Germany.

The report that the Turks absent from camp at Shumla were threatening Romania is denied.

A dispatch from Versailles to-day states that in the Imperial army in process of formation, the 15th army corps will consist of the Wurtemberg and Hessian troops.

A violent earthquake was felt at Darmstadt to-day.

CUBAN NEWS.

HAVANA, Feb. 10.—The fugitive Congress sails for Hayti to-day.

Fernandina Estrada was captured by the sub-prefect and executed at Moron.

It is reported that the insurgent, Jesus Doll, who surrendered, now acts as a guide to the Spaniards.

HOME NEWS.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

The Steamer Tennessee Again.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Curtis Company's paper mill, at Broadstreet, Ill., was burned, and nearly the whole town destroyed by fire.

The American Institute of New York has elected Wm. Rogers a President.

The ticket headed by Horace Greeley received only 11 out of 219 votes cast.

Martha Haines Bennett, the authoress, is dead. She died of pneumonia. Her remains will be taken to Norfolk, Va., for interment.

Moses Taylor, Minister to Honolulu, will be detained at San Francisco until the 16th inst., in consequence of the destruction of the mails at New Hamburg.

There is no news of the Steamer Tennessee up to noon to-day at the Navy Department. The naval authorities report the Tennessee was staunch and entirely seaworthy.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 10.—The Home Sewing Machine buildings at Peru were burned to-day. T. F. Lanehan, formerly editor of the Union County Express, perished in the flames. Three others are missing.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Numerous petitions for the removal of political disabilities were presented.

After a brief session the Senate went into executive session on the English Commissioners.

Senator Warner presented a memorial from the New York Reform League, asking for a commission to visit the South to look after the freedmen. Referred to the Outrage Committee.

A bill was reported incorporating the Red River Valley, Oklahoma and Santa Fe Railroad.

Nye was appointed on the Outrage Committee—vice Stewart, declined.

The Senate then went into executive session.

HOUSE.

Porter, of Virginia, made a personal explanation, virtually reading the Richmond State Journal out of the Republican party, and denying that he had ever worn a ball and chain. He hoped hereafter that persons and papers would not make such assertions.

Joint resolutions from the Texas Legislature, asking for the same benefits for the railroad extending from the eastern boundary of Texas to the Pacific coast that have been extended to other roads.

The bill to amend the act in relation to the duties on distilled spirits and tobacco was taken from the Speaker's table and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. This action advances the bill.

The balance of the day was devoted to private bills and appropriations.

WASHINGTON.

KANSAS LEGISLATURE.

More of the Steamer Tennessee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Lower House of the Kansas Legislature has passed a bill to allow criminals to testify in their own behalf, and allowing husband and wife to testify in each other's behalf in criminal prosecutions.

Three hangings occurred in Maryland to-day: John Haywood, white, for the murder of a captain of a canal boat; John Martin, colored, for rape, and Mary Wallis, colored, for murder.

The New York Post says there is good reason to hope that the fears for the safety of the Tennessee are groundless.

The steamer Tybee makes the trip once a month to San Domingo via Port au Platte.

The Samana owners of the Tybee say that nine times out of ten they don't hear of their vessel until her return, that sometimes the captain of the Tybee finds an opportunity to send a message by Spanish steamers, and that if no such opportunity offers, the captain can send information of his arrival.

Nautical men familiar with the Tennessee think her able to withstand any recent storm. She probably disarranged her machinery and will soon be heard from.

H. R. Angle, 22 years a professor in French at West Point, died of apoplexy to-day.

The Senate confirmed all the commissions that were nominated. The commission meets in March.

The Senate Committee have agreed to report in favor of increasing the salary of the Chief Justice to \$10,000—others proportionally.

State Items.

The oat yield in this State last year, was 3,500,000 bushels, and the average yield per acre was sixteen and one-seventh bushels.

The tobacco crop of the State for last year amounted to 35,000,000 pounds, or an average of 640 lbs. per acre.

The yield of butter is put down in this State, for 1870, at 10,000,000 lbs., at an average value of 25 cents per pound, making an aggregate value of \$2,500,000.

The corn crop of Tennessee for 1870, is estimated at 47,500,000, or an average of 20 bushels per acre.

The potato crop is put down at 1,000,000 bushels, or an average yield of 50 bushels per acre.

Tennessee has 6,705,383 acres of improved land, and 13,873,828 acres of unimproved land.

A little son of Rev. T. H. Russell, of Kingston, drank lye, a few days since, and his life is despaired of.

Green apples, good quality, last week sold for thirty cents per bushel, at Johnson City.

The County Court of Washington county, last Monday, levied, under the late law passed by the Legislature, a tax of \$1.50 per capita on dogs.

E. Simerly, Esq., President of the East Tennessee and Western North Carolina Railroad, has gone North to purchase iron. It is intended to complete the road to Elizabethton.

The Bristol Courier says the wheat crop in that section is looking rather badly, owing to the want of snow. The indications are that about a half crop will be raised.

Eli Wilson, perhaps the most daring and expert horse-thief in East Tennessee or Southwest Virginia, and who has managed to escape the law on similar charges no less than a half dozen times, was arrested by Bristol on Saturday, having in his possession a horse stolen from Rev. W. A. Montgomery, of Jefferson county, on the 28th ult.

The Jonesboro' Flag says that Dr. David Bell and Capt. Henry Banner, of the Limestone Cove Carter county, Tenn., pursued a notorious horse thief, and on Monday night last, opposite Emberville Iron Works, in that county, overhauled the horse, a very fine one, belonging to Mr. McKelvey, in a gorge in the mountain. The thief succeeded in making good his escape.

The trial of Frank Graves, Saml. Poston and Henry Wisener, at Memphis, for hanging John Schofield, is attracting a good deal of interest. The testimony in the case bids fair to invade the sacred precincts of Kukuluxism.

The Awkward Age.

Mrs. Julia Dorr, in the Household, says: "It is popularly supposed that boys must necessarily have a 'green' age—a time when they will either be painfully bashful, or so rude and boorish as to make all who come in contact with them uncomfortable. This is a false idea, and one that is the parent of untold mischief. If a boy is never 'snubbed' at home; if he is treated politely as well as kindly by mother and sister; if, particularly at that trying period when he is neither a little boy or a full-grown man, he is made to feel that his presence is never unwelcome; if he is neither teased nor laughed at; but tenderly and wisely helped, he will pass over that Bridge of Sighs without knowing it."

The same idea may be equally well applied to girls. Nothing makes an overgrown girl of thirteen so awkward and uncomfortable as the self-consciousness brought about by the ridicule and harsh comments of older members of the family. Human plants, like vegetable ones, grow most freely and gracefully in sunshine.

MUTUAL FORBEARANCE.—If we wish to succeed in life we must learn to take men as they are, and not as they ought to be; making them better if we can, but at the same time remembering their infirmities.

We have to deal, not with the ideal man of dreaming poets, but with the real men of every day life, of common aims and ambitions, and infirmities ought to create constant sympathy and forbearance. While every man has his own burden to bear, he may at the same time in some way help another to bear his peculiar burden, and be himself helped in turn. God has mysteriously linked all men together by a curious fact of mutual dependence, and this wonderful possibility of mutual help.

EXPULSION.—Senator Ross, of Kansas, has been expelled from the Typographical Union of Lawrence, because, during a recent strike, he set type to help the proprietor of newspapers which the printers had left.

THE COURTS.

Circuit Court—Knox County.

The following are the proceedings of the Circuit Court yesterday, Hon. E. T. Hall presiding:

J. R. McBeth et al vs. Alex. Sartin, debt; time allowed to plead.

Samuel Lones vs. A. Knott et al; rule on plaintiff for counter security, and the rule discharged on the plaintiff taking the panoply's oath.

The entire day was consumed in hearing the libel suit of John Baxter vs. Saunders, Clark & Co. Col. Crozier concluded his argument, occupying about one hour and a half. He made his points with his usual ability. The remainder of the day was occupied by Col. Baxter, who is said to have made a masterly effort.

At the close of his argument, Judge Hall charged the jury, who were respited from rendering a verdict until to-day. The case attracts a good deal of attention. A large number of persons attended their interest by remaining in the court house and listening attentively to the long and exhaustive arguments of the able counsel on both sides.

The United States Circuit Court.

The following business was transacted in the United States Circuit Court on yesterday, Judges Emmons and Trigg presiding:

Wm. Mason excused from further attendance as juror.

Zinn Aldrich & Co vs. Thos. G. Boyd; judgment for plaintiff for \$493.48.

United States vs. Wm. C. Walker, violation revenue law; motion to quash indictment withdrawn.

United States vs. Wm. C. Hill, violation revenue law; motion to quash indictment withdrawn.

United States vs. H. C. Gundlach, violation revenue law, two cases; motion to quash indictment withdrawn.

United States vs. Wm. Sands, violation revenue law; continued.

United States vs. A. Kennedy, Jr. et al, debt; trial pending.

The quo warranto cases will be disposed of by the Court on next Tuesday morning.

The court adjourned until Monday next at 10 o'clock.

Criminal Court.

The Grand Jury of this Court adjourned yesterday, until the 27th inst., after returning a large number of presentments and indictments.

Monroe County Matters.

The usual amount of business was transacted in the County Court this week. The Court held up, under advisement, the question as to whether a guardian drawing a pension should be held to settlement under the laws of Tennessee. In the event they should hold in the negative, many a ward will weep.

Horse-trading was brisk during court days.

Our farmers on Tellico and Tennessee rivers are sending to London immense quantities of corn for shipment South. It is reported that we are to have a new store at the "old Glenn stand" on Ball Play.

There is much talk of a railroad being built from some point in Georgia through this county to terminate at Knoxville. Our people are generally in favor of it. We have some enterprising ones, however, whose business activity and acumen were evinced many years ago in allowing the East Tennessee and Georgia road to pass through the back part of the county instead of through the county site. And this same wary and ever-blessed set think to-day we would better have no other railroad. It is said the Lord creates nothing but that is of some use. Now, if this class of fogies can be of any use, mortals cannot perceive what it is, unless, perchance, it be to serve as a sort of chucking and daubing for the rickety cabin of non-improvement.

Those who were active in disgracing the county by securing the passage of a law to remove her Chancery Court, are now in conspiracy to nullify their law and not remove it. If they did not sink beneath the notice of a decent, reading public, details would be given, but as it is, such will not be indulged.

Female Institute.

We had the pleasure of witnessing the exercises at the Institute yesterday afternoon, which were of a most interesting nature, and consisted of recitations, reading compositions, music, &c. Under the efficient system inaugurated by Prof. Butler, this school now enjoys a deservedly high reputation. It would require too much space to enumerate the excellences of his system, but we cannot refrain from mentioning the care taken in impressing upon the pupils the importance of a clear and distinct articulation, as was evinced by several of the young ladies.

A pleasant incident took place, which shows the high estimation in which the teachers are held, being the presentation of a beautiful ebony gold-mounted cane to Prof. Knabe by his pupils of the music class. The class was called up and Prof. K. invited to step forward, when the cane was presented by one of the young ladies in a most appropriate and feeling address. The Professor was visibly affected, and received the testimonial of regard as a souvenir of many pleasant recollections, and said that though the ocean would soon divide them he would always cherish their memory in his heart. During his remarks, many of the class were moved to tears.

The cane is inscribed, "G. Knabe, from his Music Pupils, Knoxville, Tenn., 1871," and was ordered through the well known jeweler, Mr. George H. Smith, of this city.

Rev. Mr. Knight made some instructive remarks on the importance of religion, and distributed a number of religious books to the scholars.

The school rooms have been much improved, by putting down carpet and matting, though more money could be advantageously expended in the same way.

Personal.

Capt. D. D. Anderson has just returned from Jonesboro, and is no longer a bachelor.

Rev. N. E. Cobleigh, D.D., President of the East Tennessee Wesleyan University, at Athens, arrived in town yesterday.

Mr. D. R. Nelson, of London, has been spending a day or two in this city, and gave us a call. He left for home yesterday. Mr. Nelson, as a member of the bar, we hope will win the highest honors of his profession.

Subscribe for the CHRONICLE.

Hawkins County News.

ROCKESVILLE, Feb. 9th, 1871.

EDITOR CHRONICLE: Our little village has been unusually quiet for the last week or so. Nothing of interest has transpired since the sitting of the Circuit Court, at which term three representatives were sent to Nashville, each for the period of three years, to learn a good trade at the expense of the State.

On last Monday, a desperate fight took place at Sneedville, Hancock county, between five of the Collins family and two men named Mullins. Whisky seemed to be the principal cause of the row. Several pistol shots were fired, and one of the Collins party was mortally and all the others slightly wounded.

To-night the young men of McMinn Academy give an exhibition, which promises to be a good thing. One or two farces are to be played, and several declamations delivered.

Under the superintendence of Mr. J. L. Baughman, this school is rapidly increasing, and bids fair to rank among the very first in East Tennessee. More anon.

Yours, K.

Farm Implements.

Keep constantly in the tool-house a dry cloth and an oiled one. When a tool is brought in, as it always is, or should be, when the day's work is done, it is cleaned and wiped with the dry cloth. If it is not to be used the next day, the oiled cloth is then rubbed over it. Whenever a plow or a cultivator is not to be used the following day, it is brought in and cleaned. By pursuing this course, by which the summer implement is kept bright and ready for use. In addition to these, hoes, shovels and spades are kept sharp. All this time use lard oil, but when there is no further use for plows or cultivators, give them a good coat of linseed oil. This forms a covering that is impervious to moisture, and the tool is as bright in the spring as when laid away in the fall.

Horses are better for not being blanketed, but may have linen-dusters thrown over them to keep dust out of their coats. Colts should be groomed daily; and they ought to have some grain daily, even though they are doing no work. When horses come from work or sharp driving, rub them down with straw, and according to the labor they have had, spend two to ten minutes in hard rubbing, warming up and drying the coats. Then cover with large woolen blankets for an hour. Keep the shoes caulked all the time, and have them well sharpened up if an icy time occurs.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Statement of the Condition of the Niagara Fire Insurance Company, of the City of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1870.

CAPITAL.

Cash Capital and surplus \$1,004,567 00

ASSETS.

United States Securities 956,147 50

Loans on Bond and Mortgage 103,000 00

Cash in Bank and hands of Agents 55,454 54

Loans on Stocks, payable on demand 182,700 00

Real Estate 28,750 00

Akron, Tennessee, Brooklyn City and New York County Bonds 74,300 00

Other Securities 73,888 45

\$1,004,567 00

LIABILITIES.

Losses in process of adjustment 65,100 00

All other claims 285 00

\$65,385 00

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NASHVILLE, JANUARY 1st, 1871.

I, E. D. R. PENNEBAKER, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Niagara Fire Insurance Company, of the City of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee, and is authorized to do business in this State, and I further certify that Munson & Bailey, Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, and are authorized to do business in this State, at Knoxville, Tennessee.

Wherefore, said Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Knoxville, Tennessee.

E. D. R. PENNEBAKER, Comptroller of Tennessee, Per W. E. WAGG.

Feb 11, 1871-d11w4

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NATIONAL LOAN.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, February 4, 1871.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT

books will be opened on the sixth day of March next, in this country and in Europe, for subscriptions to the National Loan, under the Act approved July 14, 1870, entitled "An Act to authorize the Refunding of the National Debt," and the Act in amendment thereof, approved January 30, 1871.

The places at which subscriptions may be made, and the names of the authorized Agents of the Government, will be announced hereafter. The proposed loan comprises three classes of Bonds, namely:

First. Bonds to the amount of five hundred millions of dollars, payable in coin, at the pleasure of the United States, after ten years from the date of their issue, and bearing interest, payable quarterly in coin, at the rate of five per cent. per annum.

Second. Bonds to the amount of three hundred millions of dollars, payable in coin, at the pleasure of the United States, after fifteen years from the date of their issue, and bearing interest, payable quarterly in coin, at the rate of four and a half per cent. per annum.

Third. Bonds to the amount of seven hundred millions of dollars, payable in coin, at the pleasure of the United States, after thirty years from the date of their issue, and bearing interest, payable quarterly in coin, at the rate of four per cent. per annum.

Subscribers to the Loan will have preference in the following order, namely:

First. Subscribers for equal amounts of each class of bonds.

Second. Subscribers for equal amounts of bonds bearing interest at the rate of four and a half per cent. and of bonds bearing interest at the rate of five per cent.

Third. Subscribers for five per cent. bonds.

When a subscription is made the subscriber will be required to deposit two per cent. of the amount thereof, to be secured for the Government when the bonds are delivered; and payment may be made either in coin or in bonds of the United States known as five-twenty bonds, at their par value. The coin received in payment will be applied to the redemption of five-twenty bonds.

The bonds will be registered or issued with coupons, as may be desired by subscribers. Registered bonds will be issued in the denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, and \$10,000; and coupon bonds of each denomination except the last two. The interest will be payable in the United States, at the office of the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, or Designated Depository of the Government.

The bonds of the several classes aforesaid, and the interest thereon, are exempt from the payment of all taxes or dues of the United States, as well as from taxation in any form by or under State, municipal, or local authority.

After maturity, the bonds last issued will be first demanded, by classes and numbers, as may be designated by the Secretary of the Treasury.